FISCAL NOTE

SB 795 - HB 1324

March 30, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires retailers to place numbered identification tags on kegs containing beer. Requires purchaser to sign registration form and pay a \$75 deposit. Requires the Department of Revenue to prescribe and supply forms for keg identification. Allows beer boards/committees to revoke or suspend permits or impose civil penalties on retailers failing to place labels on kegs or getting signed receipts for kegs. Creates two new Class C misdemeanors.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$70,400 One-Time Increase State Revenues - Not Significant

Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant
Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumptions:

- A one-time increase in state expenditures of \$70,400 for systems changes associated with implementation.
- A not significant impact to local governments that depends on the increased cost of enforcement offset by any incremental revenue derived from fines and civil penalties.
- Some increase in cases in the court system, which will result in additional state and local government expenditures for processing the cases and additional state and local government revenues from fees, taxes, and costs collected. However, such increases will not be significant.
- The Department of Revenue charges a fee not to exceed the actual cost of supplying receipt forms and identification tags increasing state revenues will not be significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director